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"Many Lands, Many People, Many Faiths...One Arizona"

1. IMPORTANT: PROGRAM ON DANGERS OF METH

On April 15, 2008, from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m., nearly every network-affiliated and independent Arizona television station will simultaneously broadcast a shocking and in-depth documentary on the dangers of Crystal Meth entitled Crystal Darkness.

The attached information provides further details regarding this upcoming program. We hope you will pass this information along to others who may be interested in this topic so they can make arrangements to see this powerful broadcast on the life-threatening consequences of using meth.

We also wanted to make you aware that DVDs will be available through the Phoenix Police Department for those who are unable to access the local cable channels. If you are interested in this DVD, please contact Commander Crockett. Chris Crockett, Commander

Public Affairs Bureau
Phoenix Police Department
602-262-4841
chris.crockett@phoenix.gov

If computer/internet is accessible, you might want to visit the website crystaldarkness.com for additional information with the exception of the call center number. That will not be a live number until April 15, the night of the broadcast.

2. Target Local Store Grants - Application Deadline March 1 - May 31

Target store grants support your local community. So music programs in your neighborhood can be funded by your local Target - and the same is true for a preschool story time, a shelter for victims of domestic abuse, or other good efforts made close to home.

Target will accept grant applications between March 1 and May 31, 2008 for programs taking place between October 1, 2008 and September 30, 2009.

For more information please visit <http://sites.target.com/site/en/corporate/page.jsp?contentId=PRD03-001818>

3. Investing for the Future National Train-the-Trainer Event - April 16th

Join First Nations Development Institute in attending a national Native investor education Train-the-Trainer event! At this workshop, you will learn about a new culturally appropriate investor education curriculum, and how to implement an investor education program in your home community. The workshop will be taught by Native American trainers and investment professionals. You will learn about resources for teaching investor education and techniques for making trainings fun and engaging.

What: Building Native Communities –
Investing for the Future National Train-the-Trainer Event

Start time 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 16, 2008
End time 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 17, 2008

Location Radisson Fort McDowell Resort & Casino Hotel
10438 North Fort McDowell Road
Scottsdale/Fountain Hills, Arizona 85264

Registration Fee \$75 – Tribal Program Representatives, Non-Profit Tribal entities, or Individuals \$150 – All others

For agenda information please visit: http://www.firstnations.org/publications/ExternalAgendaAZTTT04082008_2.pdf

To register <http://www.formsite.com/akwekonpress/form727887175/index.html>

4. AZ American Indian Chamber of Commerce Luncheon - April 18th

Friday, April 18th
11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Casino Arizona - Eagle Buffet Conference Room
McKellips & 101, east exit off of the 101

Guest Speakers:

Leslie Moat, Hensel Phelps Project Manager, will give a presentation on the scope of Phase 1 of the Automated Train at Sky Harbor Airport and the contracting opportunities that exist with this large-scale project. There will be a discussion on

how M/W/SBE business owners can begin the process of building a relationship with Hensel Phelps Construction Co. and preparing to bid successfully on the project.

Jamie Fullmer, former Tribal Chairman of the Yavapai-Apache Nation and founder of Blue Stone Strategy Group, will introduce his company, which is dedicated solely to the economic development growth strategies in Indian country.

PRICE
\$18 members
\$21 non-members
\$25 walk-ups

To register emailinfo@aiccaz.org or call 602.254.1952

Payments must be made by day of event. All "No Show" reservations will be invoiced.

5. Leadership Forum and Networking Event - April 18th

BestCompaniesAZ presents their "3rd Annual Leadership Forum and Networking Event"

1:00PM - 4:30PM Leadership Forum
4:30PM - 6:30PM Networking & Diamondback Player's Autograph Signing
6:40PM D-backs vs. Padres (Fireworks Night!)
Location: Chase Field 401 E. Jefferson St.

What do the Arizona Diamondbacks, Arizona's Best Hospitals, Google, LifeLock and McMurtry all have in common? The Answer: An amazing, aligned and focused workforce! This year's BestCompaniesAZ Leadership Forum will have presenters from several of Arizona's Award-winning Best Companies! Join these senior leaders as they share their ideas for a creating award-winning culture that delivers top performance for employees, customers and shareholders.

Who Should Attend the Forum and Networking? Arizona's Leaders: CEOs, EVPs, Presidents, General Managers, COOs, CFOs, VP-HR Executives

Keynote Speaker - Derrick Hall, Arizona Diamondbacks' President

Forum Ticket Only: \$125.00
Network Ticket Only: \$75.00
Bundle Package: \$175.00

To register, please visit

http://www.bestcompaniesaz.com/pdf/April%2018_BestCompaniesAZ_Leadership_forum_and_Networking_Event_%20Registration_Form_2.pdf

For more information, please visit

http://www.bestcompaniesaz.com/pdf/BestCompaniesAZ_Leadership_Forum_and_Networking%20_Event_April_18.pdf

6. AZ Homeland Security Funding - April 21st-May 1st

As part of the FFY 2008 Homeland Security Grand Program (HSGP) rollout, the AZ Department of Homeland Security (AZDOHS) will be sponsoring regional information sessions regarding the application process. These sessions will cover the AZDOHS vision for FFY 2008, department updates, HSGP timeline and necessary paperwork for submissions from statewide stakeholders, and will give guidance as to the FFY 2008 requirements. Although FFY2008 will be similar in many ways to the FFY2007 HSGP, we have streamlined our process for efficiency and effective disbursement of grant funds.

Please plan on attending the respective meeting listed below for your region. If you are unable to attend the meeting in your region, feel free to any other meeting. Each session is approx. 2 hours.

West Region (La Paz, Mohave and Yavapai Counties)
April 21, 2008 at 10:00am
Yavapai County Fairgrounds
10401 E. Highway 89A, 3rd Floor
Prescott Valley

For other region meeting info please visit

<http://www.azdohs.gov/documents/Grants/2008/2008HSGPStateTourAnnouncement.pdf>

7. Construction in Indian Country Conference - May 12th-14th

May 12-14, 2008
Radisson Ft. McDowell Resort
Fort McDowell, Arizona

The mission of the conference is to assist in managing construction among American Indian Nations while providing valuable educational opportunities to American Indian students. To accomplish this mission, the conference aims to:

1. Educate Tribes and contractors about the realities and opportunities concerning construction in Indian Country;
2. Maintain an educational grant and endowment for American Indian students attending Arizona State University's Del E. Webb School of Construction and;
3. Provide research and training efforts for Tribal Nations through sponsorships and proceeds from the conference.

To register, please visit <http://construction.asu.edu/ciic/conference.html>

For more information, contact 480.727.3105 or visit the website at <http://construction.asu.edu/ciic>

8. Financial Education Funding Program – June 2nd

Deadline: June 2, 2008 (Letters of Inquiry)

The First Nations Development Institute a national nonprofit Native American organization, has announced a funding program to help bolster the educational, homeownership, and financial assets of Native American families and individuals.

With \$435,000 in funding from Bank of America, the Johnson Scholarship Foundation, the Washington Mutual Foundation, and a fourth partner, the institute's Little Eagle Staff Fund will provide grants and technical assistance to help the residents of reservation communities become better educated consumers of financial products and services.

Eligible applicants will be tribal programs and Native nonprofit organizations that focus on asset and wealth creation programs in Native communities. Grants may be used to strengthen program administration, management, and implementation.

Complete LESF program information will be available at the First Nations Web site beginning April 4, 2008.

For more information, contact Sarah EchoHawk Vermillion, Vice President of Development and Communications at 303-774-7836 or svermillion@firstnations.org or visit www.firstnations.org

9. Nurse Camp for High School Students - June 9th-13th

Organized by: Mayo Clinic
Dates: June 9- 13, 2008
Time: 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Cost: Free

Purpose: The camp is for high school students to observe nurses in action, participate in hands-on simulated skills labs, attend interactive lectures and enjoy fun, games, and adventure. Those selected will be able to walk away with a true knowledge of what nursing is all about. Participants gain knowledge by shadowing registered nurses in patient care area. Also, simulated activities in both the Emergency and Surgical departments are included. Hands-on experience includes: giving shots to a mannequin, watching your own heartbeat through an electrocardiogram and learning how to sew up wounds. The application deadline is April 18.

Contact: Yvette Martin at 480-342-0891 or martin.phyllis@mayo.edu

For more information, please visit: <http://www.mayoclinic.org/nursecamp-sct/>

10. Governor's Excellence Award Nominations – Due June 13th

Nominations are now being accepted for the 2008 Excellence Awards presented at the Governor's luncheon during this year's Governor's Rural and Regional Development Conference. It will be held September 24-26 at the Carefree Resort. The communities of Carefree and Cave Creek are our hosts.

The purpose of the Awards Program is to honor partnerships, organizations, associations, service clubs, and companies, which have successfully created and implemented community and economic development strategies for their respective regional/rural/tribal communities in the past year.

This year's categories are:

- Innovative Economic Development
- Infrastructure & Environmental Projects
- Cultural & Recreational Projects
- Leadership in Energy Efficiency
- Leadership Development-Future Leaders

Please submit all nominations by 3:00 p.m. on Friday, June 13, 2008.

For nomination forms (PDF or word) please visit <http://www.azcommerce.com/CommAsst/RuralDev/RDC.htm>

11. 14th Annual First American Leadership Awards - June 13th

Friday, June 13, 2008

5:00 p.m. Registration

5:30 p.m. "Meet the Artist" Networking Reception

7:00 p.m. Dinner, Awards, Entertainment

Radisson Fort McDowell Resort & Casino
10438 N. Fort McDowell Road
Scottsdale, AZ 85264
(Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation)

The First American Leadership Awards (FALA) Banquet is an annual fundraising & networking event presented by the National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development. FALA acknowledges accomplishments and contributions made by American Indians and those who support their economic and business development endeavors.

For more information please contact: Phyllis Smith at 480-545-1298 Ext 244 or email events@ncaied.org

12. Camp L.Y.F.E 2008 Resident Camp - June 23rd-June29th

For boys and girls ages 9-14

- Camp Components
- Healthy Relationships
- Self Esteem
- Diet and Nutrition
- Physical Activity
- Team Building
- Culture and Diversity

Activities: Campers will have a selection of various physical activities to participate in each day. Activities include yoga, Pilates, tennis, kickboxing, swimming, hiking, golf, nature walks and strength training. In addition to the physical activities that will be offered, participants will participate in social activities, theatre and field trips.

For more information please visit http://worthyinstitute.com/page/1irck/Camp_L_Y_F_E.html or call 602.258.3300

13. 2008 Assets Learning Conference - September 11th-13th

Advancing America's Assets Agenda: Expanding Opportunity, Promoting Prosperity & Mobilizing Communities

Thursday, September 11th - Saturday, September 13th
Washington, DC

The 2008 Assets Learning Conference is the place where a diverse group of leaders comes together to discuss innovations, vision and strategies in assets practice, policy and research. representing nonprofits, foundations, governments, policy advocacy organizations, private sector companies, and academic institutions, as well as assets program participants and accountholders, conference participants focus on furthering a single purpose: to encourage action and advance America's assets agenda. To learn more about these sessions, please visit:

http://www.assetsconference.org/index1.php?view=practice_session_descriptions

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The 2008 Assets Learning Conference is specifically designed for asset holders, local IDA and asset-building practitioners, state IDA and asset-building coalitions, national IDA and asset-building organizations, policymakers, corporations, researchers and foundations.

Visit the conference home page at <http://www.assetsconference.org/index.php>

CFED is able to provide a limited number of Travel and Expense Scholarships and Registration Stipends to practitioners employed by a community-based, nonprofit asset-building program and to accountholders enrolled in either an Individual Development Account or Children's Development Account program.

http://www.assetsconference.org/index1.php?view=scholarships_and_stipends

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